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PATENTEE: **COOK et al.**
PATENT NO: **6,921,422 B2**
ISSUED: July 26, 2005
TITLE: **DUCTILE BINDER PHASE FOR USE WITH A1MGB₁₄ AND OTHER HARD MATERIALS**

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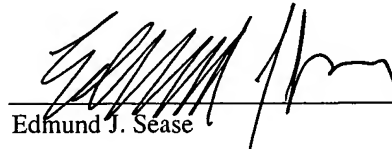
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